

October 26, 2017

Mr. Anthony Krone Risk Manager Shelby County Schools 160 South Hollywood – Room 152 Memphis, Tennessee 38112

RE: Lead in Drinking Water Sampling Riverwood Elementary School 1330 Stern Lane Memphis, Tennessee Tioga Project No.: 24816.03

Dear Mr. Krone,

At the request of Shelby County Schools (the Client), Tioga Environmental Consultants (Tioga) performed sampling of drinking water sources at the above referenced school for laboratory analysis of total lead concentrations. At the request of the Client, sampling was conducted on potable water sources in the kitchen and water fountains throughout the first and second floors of the school. Sampling was conducted early in the morning, before any potable water sources had been used for the day and prior to the arrival of any students or faculty.

On October 10, 2017, Tioga representative Eric Davis arrived onsite and was escorted through the building by Shelby County Schools risk management personnel. First-draw potable water samples were collected in accordance with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations codified in 40 CFR 141.86, and were documented and transferred under chain-of-custody protocol to Waypoint Analytical Laboratories in Memphis, Tennessee for analysis of total lead content.

### **Results Based on Laboratory Analysis:**

Table 1 on the following page summarizes the sampling locations, laboratory analytical results, and EPA action level for lead in drinking water. Sample results with a "<" symbol did not contain lead content above the laboratory detection limit.

# Table 1 Summary of Analytical Results Riverwood Elementary School October 10, 2017

Sample ID	Sample Location	Total Lead (µg/L)	EPA Action Level (µg/L)
76-1	Kitchen Sink	0.530	
76-2	Cafeteria Cooler	< 0.500	
76-3	Cooler Across from A119	< 0.500	15
76-4	Cooler Across from B117	< 0.500	15
76-5	Cooler Across from E216	< 0.500	
76-6	Cooler Across from D211	< 0.500	

 $(\mu g/L)$  = Micrograms of lead per liter of water (parts per billion)

A review of the laboratory analytical results of the water samples collected revealed that no water samples collected during this sampling event exhibited total lead levels above the EPA action level for drinking water.

### **Recommendations:**

Based upon the laboratory analytical results of the six potable water samples collected from Riverwood Elementary School, Tioga has found no evidence of elevated lead concentrations above the EPA action level for drinking water, and therefore makes no recommendation for further testing at this site.

#### **Limitations**

Potable water sources with elevated lead levels may potentially be present in areas of the property that are not addressed with this report. This investigation only included the potable water sources specifically addressed.

We appreciate the opportunity to provide you with this service. Should you have any questions regarding this report, please contact me at (901) 791-2432.

Sincerely,

TIOGA ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS, INC.

Margaret F. Strom, QEP, CHMM

President

**Enclosure:** (1) Laboratory Analytical Report



10/20/2017

Tioga Environmental Consultants Ms. Maggie Strom 357 N. Main Street Memphis, TN, 38103

Ref: **Analytical Testing** 

> Lab Report Number: 17-285-0241 Client Project Description: Site 76

Project #24816.03

Dear Ms. Maggie Strom:

Waypoint Analytical, Inc. received sample(s) on 10/11/2017 for the analyses presented in the following report.

The above referenced project has been analyzed per your instructions. The analyses were performed in accordance with the applicable analytical method.

The analytical data has been validated using standard quality control measures performed as required by the analytical method. Quality Assurance, method validations, instrumentation maintenance and calibration for all parameters (NELAP and non-NELAP) were performed in accordance with guidelines established by the USEPA (including 40 CFR 136 Method Update Rule May 2012) and NELAC unless otherwise indicated. Any parameter for which the laboratory is not officially NELAP accredited is indicated by a '~' symbol. These are not included in the scope because NELAP accreditation is either not available or has not been applied for. Additional certifications may be held/are available for parameters, where NELAP accreditation is not required or applicable. A full list of certifications is available upon request.

Certain parameters (chlorine, pH, dissolved oxygen, sulfite...) are required to be analyzed within 15 minutes of sampling. Usually, but not always, any field parameter analyzed at the laboratory is outside of this holding time. Refer to sample analysis time for confirmation of holding time compliance.

The results are shown on the attached Report of Analysis(s). Results for solid matrices are reported on an asreceived basis unless otherwise indicated. This report shall not be reproduced except in full and relates only to the samples included in this report.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or client services if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely.

Andv Parrish **Project Manager** 

Laboratory's liability in any claim relating to analyses performed shall be limited to, at laboratory's option, repeating the analysis in question at laboratory's expense, or the refund of the charges paid for performance of said analysis.



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Tioga Environmental Consultants Ms. Maggie Strom 357 N. Main Street

Memphis, TN 38103

Project Site 76

Information: Project #24816.03

Report Date: 10/20/2017

Lab No : 91142 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: **76-1** Sampled: **10/10/2017 11:22** 

Test Results Units MQL DF Date / Time By Analytical **Analyzed** Method Total Lead 0.530 μg/L 0.500 1 10/18/17 18:39 BKN EPA-200.8

Lab No: 91143 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: 76-2 Sampled: 10/10/2017 11:23

DF MQL Date / Time Test Results Units By Analytical Analyzed Method Total Lead EPA-200.8 < 0.500 μg/L 0.500 1 10/18/17 18:44 BKN

Lab No : 91144 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: **76-3** Sampled: **10/10/2017 11:26** 

Results Units MQL DF Date / Time Analytical Test By **Analyzed** Method Total Lead EPA-200.8 < 0.500 μg/L 0.500 1 10/18/17 18:45 BKN

Lab No: 91145 Matrix: Aqueous

Sampled: **10/10/2017 11:30** 

Test	Results	Units	MQL	DF	Date / Time Analyzed	Ву	Analytical Method	
Total Lead	<0.500	μg/L	0.500	1	10/18/17 18:47	BKN	EPA-200.8	

Qualifiers/ Definitions

DF

Dilution Factor

MQL

Method Quantitation Limit



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Project Site 76

Information: Project #24816.03

Report Date: 10/20/2017

Lab No : 91146 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: **76-5** Sampled: **10/10/2017 11:32** 

Test Results Units MQL DF Date / Time By Analytical **Analyzed** Method Total Lead < 0.500 μg/L 0.500 1 10/18/17 18:48 BKN EPA-200.8

Lab No: 91147 Matrix: Aqueous

Sample ID: **76-6** Sampled: **10/10/2017 11:35** 

DF Units MQL Date / Time Test Results Ву Analytical Analyzed Method Total Lead EPA-200.8 μg/L < 0.500 0.500 1 10/18/17 18:49 BKN

Qualifiers/ Definitions DF Dilution Factor

MQL

Method Quantitation Limit



## **Cooler Receipt Form**

Customer Number: 06510

Customer Name: Tioga Environmental Consultants

Report Number: 17-285-0241

### **Shipping Method**

	<ul><li>US Postal</li></ul>	O Lab		Other:	
UPS	Client	O Cou	rier	Thermometer ID:	NA
Shipping contain	ner/cooler uncomprom	ised?	Yes	○ No	
Number of coole	ers received		1		
Custody seals in	ntact on shipping conta	iner/cooler?	Yes	○ No	Not Required
Custody seals in	ntact on sample bottles	?	O Yes	○ No	Not Required
Chain of Custod	y (COC) present?		Yes	○ No	
COC agrees wit	h sample label(s)?		Yes	○ No	
COC properly co	ompleted		Yes	○ No	
Samples in prop	er containers?		Yes	○ No	
Sample containe	ers intact?		Yes	○ No	
Sufficient sample	e volume for indicated	test(s)?	Yes	○ No	
All samples rece	eived within holding tim	ie?	Yes	○ No	
Cooler temperat	ure in compliance?		Yes	○ No	
	arrived at the laborate onsidered acceptable gun.		○ Yes	No	
Water - Sample	containers properly pr	eserved	Yes	○ No	○ N/A
Water - VOA via	ls free of headspace		O Yes	○ No	● N/A
Trip Blanks rece	eived with VOAs		O Yes	○ No	● N/A
Soil VOA metho	d 5035 – compliance o	riteria met	O Yes	○ No	● N/A
High concen	tration container (48 h	·)	Lo	w concentration EnC	Core samplers (48 hr)
High concent	tration pre-weighed (m	ethanol -14	d) Lo	w conc pre-weighed	vials (Sod Bis -14 d)
Special precauti	ons or instructions incl	uded?	O Yes	● No	
Comments:					

Signature: Danyale Love Date & Time: 10/12/2017 09:34:38